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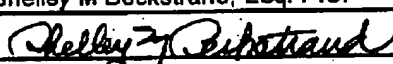
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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	0
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

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Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

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This amendment is responsive to the Office Action,
designated FINAL, of Examiner Susanna M. Meinecke Diaz
mailed 27 Jan 2006.

Claims 1, 2, and 36-41 are in the case, none as yet
allowed.

Please amend the above identified application as
follows.

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